

## Fellowship Curriculum

The International Emergency Medicine Fellowship at the University of Rochester Medical Center is designed as a two-year program for graduates of a United States Emergency Medicine residency program.

As a fellow

- ◆ You will earn a salary of approximately \$100,000
- ◆ Have eight weeks of protected time for international field work per year
- ◆ A travel stipend of \$5,000 per year
- ◆ One week and \$2,000 per year for CME
- ◆ Additional four weeks of vacation per year.

If you'd like to learn more, visit our website at:

<http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-medicine/education/fellowship.cfm>

Or

<http://www.iemfellowships.com/>

## Application Process

We encourage you to discuss your interest in the program with the Fellowship Director prior to applying.

To apply, send a letter of interest, a current curriculum vitae, and three letters of recommendation to the attention of the Fellowship Director at the address below.



For More Information Please Contact:

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## Education

In conjunction with the two year fellowship fellows can earn a Masters Degree in

- ◆ Public Health
- ◆ Clinical Investigation
- ◆ Medical Management

Fellows are also encouraged to attend local, domestic, and international training courses and conferences to expand their knowledge and credentials in the following

- ◆ Humanitarian aid
- ◆ Disaster assistance
- ◆ Global health policy and planning,
- ◆ Resuscitation

In addition, fellows are encouraged to submit abstracts to and attend the United States emergency medicine national meetings as well as choose among the multiple international emergency medicine and global health conferences to attend.

## Clinical Responsibilities

The fellow will serve as clinical faculty at Strong Memorial Hospital at the University of Rochester Medical Center and/or a community hospital that is part of the UR Medicine system.

## Mentorship

David Adler attended the University of California, San Francisco to earn his MD and completed a four year Emergency Medicine Residency at Alameda County Medical Center in Oakland, California. He then went on to obtain his Masters in Public Health at the University of California at Berkeley where he based his thesis on emergency care delivery in central African refugee camps.

Since joining the faculty at the University of Rochester Medical Center, he has continued his research in global health while mentoring residents and medical students and serving as the Director of the International Emergency Medicine Fellowship as well as the Director of Emergency Medicine Research. Dr. Adler continues to conduct ongoing NIH-supported epidemiologic research in South Africa.

During the academic year, the fellow will meet with the fellowship director 1-2 times per month to host international health speakers, plan for international experiences, review research and abstract writings, and discuss the current literature and themes in international emergency medicine and global health.

## Research

Eight weeks of protected time are provided each year for international fieldwork. Fellows may also choose to use some or all of their vacation time to extend overseas work, and may pursue CME activities abroad.

Each international experience is planned to include a specific project emphasis such as

- ◆ Clinical
- ◆ Academic
- ◆ Research
- ◆ Policy nature

This is chosen by the fellow with the assistance of the fellowship director.

Although projects addressing the development of Emergency Medicine as a field are welcome, our fellowship is not at all limited to this aspect of Global Health. The fellowship director has a decidedly flexible attitude regarding suitable areas for study and work. Fellows are encouraged to develop and pursue their own interests in the broad field of Global Health.

Past fellows have conducted fieldwork in Thailand, India, Kosovo, Nicaragua, and Haiti.



Saunders Research Building, opened May 2011, Home of the UR CTSI and EM Research.